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Amendment 1 Tomáš Zdechovský, Patricija Šulin

Proposal for a decision 1 Paragraph 1

Proposal for a decision

1. Grants the Registrar of the Court of Justice discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the Court of Justice for the financial year 2014 / Postpones its decision on granting the Registrar of the Court of Justice discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the Court of Justice for the financial year 2014;

Amendment

1. Grants the Registrar of the Court of Justice discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the Court of Justice for the financial year 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 2 Ryszard Czarnecki

Proposal for a decision 1 Paragraph 1

Proposal for a decision

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Amendment

1. Postpones its decision on granting the Registrar of the Court of Justice discharge in respect of the implementation of the budget of the Court of Justice for the financial year 2014;

Or. en

Amendment 3 Michael Theurer

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes the information regarding the list of external activities pursued by the judges provided in January 2016, after being asked for during the exchange of views in committee on discharge exercise of 2014; regrets that the number of judges participating in the different events is not mentioned; is of the opinion that all information on the outside activities of each judge should be accessible to the general public;

Amendment

12. Notes the information regarding the list of external activities pursued by the judges provided in January 2016, after being asked for during the exchange of views in committee on discharge exercise of 2014; regrets that the number of judges participating in the different events is not mentioned; is of the opinion that all information on the outside activities of each judge should be accessible to the general public and requests that this information be published on the website of the Court of Justice and included in the next Annual Activity Report;

Or. en

Amendment 4 Ingeborg Gräßle

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 12

Motion for a resolution

12. Notes the information regarding the list of external activities pursued by the judges provided in January 2016, after being asked for during the exchange of views in committee on discharge exercise of 2014; regrets that the number of judges participating in the different events is not mentioned; is of the opinion that all information on the outside activities of each judge should be accessible to the general public;

Amendment

12. Notes the information regarding the list of external activities pursued by the judges provided in January 2016, after being asked for during the exchange of views in committee on discharge exercise of 2014; regrets that the number of judges participating in the different events is not mentioned; calls for an overview of all external activities, for each judge, including lecturing, talks, other events and preparations for them during working hours, and not just of officially approved activities; requests disclosure of all resources used in conjunction with judges' external activities, e.g. translation services, law clerks and drivers; is of the opinion that all information on the outside

activities of each judge should be accessible to the general public;

Or. de

Amendment 5 Ingeborg Gräßle

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 12 a (new)

Motion for a resolution

Amendment

12a. calls for an informative declaration of judges' financial interests to be posted on the Internet;

Or. de

Amendment 6 Igor Šoltes

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 19

Motion for a resolution

19. Notes that there is still a shortage of women in positions of responsibility at the Court of Justice; calls for the imbalance to be corrected as soon as possible;

Amendment

19. Regrets that less than 36 % of the managers are women while more than 60 % of the staff is composed by women; stresses therefore that only 18 % of senior manager posts are taken by women; calls on the Court of Justice to correct this imbalanced situation;

Or. en

Amendment 7 Igor Šoltes

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 19 a (new)

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Motion for a resolution

Amendment

19a. Request from the Court of Justice a clear and detailed answer to the question 26 (Pensions) as other Institutions do; considers the answer as unsatisfactory; considers that the Court should answer to all questions sent by the Parliament; calls upon the Court to be fully transparent concerning the pensions;

Or. en

Amendment 8 Tomáš Zdechovský, Patricija Šulin

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 20

Motion for a resolution

20. Reiterates its call on the Court of Justice to reduce the number of official cars at the disposal of its Members and staff; stresses that the cost of the extended private services provided by drivers is borne by Union taxpayers; recommends the Court to examine these matters in an interinstitutional context;

Amendment

20. Notes that the Court of Justice has 75 official vehicles in its fleet at cost of 1 168 251 EUR; notes that the drivers' salaries amounted to 2 434 599 EUR in 2014; considers this to be a critically high expense which is in contradiction with the overall trend in the Union institutions to limit the usage of official vehicles; reiterates its call on the Court of Justice to reduce the number of official cars at the disposal of its Members and staff; stresses that the cost of the extended private services provided by drivers is borne by Union taxpayers; recommends the Court to examine these matters in an interinstitutional context; urges the Court to actively promote green mobility;

Or. en

Amendment 9 Igor Šoltes

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. *Is concerned* that the internal whistle-blowing rules are still not adopted; *calls on* the Court of Justice to implement *these* without further delay in 2016.

Amendment

23. **Deplores** that the internal whistle-blowing rules are still not adopted; **urges** the Court of Justice to **adopt and** implement **the rules and operational guidelines applicable to the status of whistle-blower by the end of** 2016.

Or. en

Amendment 10 Tomáš Zdechovský, Patricija Šulin

Motion for a resolution Paragraph 23

Motion for a resolution

23. Is concerned that the internal whistle-blowing rules are still not adopted; *calls on* the Court of Justice to implement these without further delay in 2016.

Amendment

23. Is concerned that the internal whistle-blowing rules are still not adopted; *urges* the Court of Justice to implement these without further delay in 2016.

Or. en